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BUSINESS REPORT

**MONTANA HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
63rd LEGISLATURE - REGULAR SESSION**

HOUSE TRANSPORTATION COMMITTEE

Date: Friday, February 8, 2013
Place: Capitol

Time: 3:00 PM
Room: 455

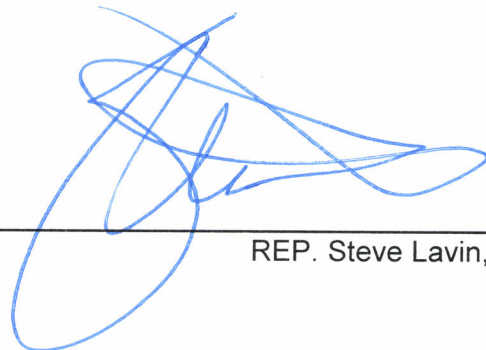
BILLS and RESOLUTIONS HEARD:

HB 299 - Name portion of highway 2 in Blaine County for slain officers - Rep. Wendy Warburton

EXECUTIVE ACTION TAKEN:

HB 233 - DO PASS AS AMENDED
HB 300 - DO PASS
HB 331 - TABLED

Comments: None



REP. Steve Lavin, Chair

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Roll Call
TRANSPORTATION COMMITTEE

DATE: 2/8/13

<u>NAME</u>	<u>PRESENT</u>	<u>ABSENT/ EXCUSED</u>
REP. LEE RANDALL, VICE CHAIR	✓	
REP. CLAYTON FISCUS	✓	
REP. LIZ BANGERTER	✓	
REP. KRAYTON KERNS	✓	
REP. REILLY NEILL		✓
REP. CHRISTY CLARK	✓	
REP. FROSTY BOSS RIBS	✓	
REP. CAROLYN SQUIRES, VICE CHAIR		✓
REP. BRIDGET SMITH	✓	
REP. JERRY O'NEIL	✓	
REP. NANCY WILSON	✓	
REP. STEVE LAVIN, CHAIR	✓	

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HOUSE STANDING COMMITTEE REPORT

February 8, 2013

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Mr. Speaker:

We, your committee on **Transportation** recommend that **House Bill 233** (first reading copy -- white) **do pass as amended.**

Signed: _____

Representative Steve Lavin, Chair

And, that such amendments read:

1. Title, lines 8 through line 9.

Strike: ", COUNTY ATTORNEY, OR CITY ATTORNEY"

2. Title, line 10.

Following: "44-4-1205,"

Strike: "AND"

Following: "44-4-1206,"

Insert: "46-18-201, 61-8-422, AND 61-8-733,"

3. Page 1, line 15.

Following: "outcomes"

Insert: "and public safety"

4. Page 2.

Following: line 12

Insert: "(b) "Dangerous drug" has the meaning provided in 50-32-101."

Renumber: subsequent subsections

5. Page 2, line 15.

Strike: "other"

Insert: "another"

Following: "agency"

Insert: "designated by the county sheriff's office that is"

Committee Vote:

Yes 11, No 1

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6. Page 2, line 18.

Following: first use of "or"

Insert: "an"

Following: "agency"

Insert: "as defined in 2-15-102,"

7. Page 2, line 20.

Strike: ", pleaded guilty, or been"

Insert: "with or"

8. Page 2, line 22.

Following: "limited to"

Insert: "a second or subsequent offense of"

9. Page 2, line 30.

Strike: ", as defined in 50-32-101,"

10. Page 3, line 4 through line 5.

Strike: "within" on line 4 through "days" on line 5

Insert: "as soon as practical following a noncompliant test event"

11. Page 3, line 12.

Strike: "economic"

12. Page 4, line 22.

Strike: "and other entities"

13. Page 4, line 23 through line 24.

Strike: subsection (1) in its entirety

Renumber: subsequent subsections

14. Page 4, line 25.

Strike: "entity participating in"

Insert: "court or agency utilizing"

Following: "sanctions"

Insert: "that it"

15. Page 4, line 27.

Following: "convicted of"

Insert: "the offense of aggravated driving under the influence in violation of 61-8-465,"

16. Page 4, line 28.

Following: "61-8-401"

Insert: ", "

Following: the first "or"

Insert: "a"

17. Page 5, line 4.

Following: "~~issued~~"

Insert: ", notwithstanding the requirements of 61-5-208 that an individual is required to complete a certain portion of a suspension period before a probationary license may be issued"

18. Page 5, line 8.

Following: "charged with"

Insert: "a violation of 61-8-465,"

19. Page 5, line 9.

Following: "61-8-406"

Insert: ", "

Strike: "charged with"

Following: "any"

Insert: "other"

20. Page 5, line 13.

Following: "convicted of"

Insert: "a violation of 61-8-465,"

Following: "61-8-406"

Insert: ", "

Following: "or"

Strike: "convicted of"

Following: "any"

Insert: "other"

21. Page 5, line 17.

Following: "parole"

Insert: "for a violation of 61-8-465,"

Following: "61-8-406"

Insert: ", "

Following: "any"

Insert: "other"

22. Page 5.

Following: line 27

Insert: "**Section 7.** Section 46-18-201, MCA, is amended to read:

"**46-18-201. Sentences that may be imposed.** (1) (a) Whenever a person has been found guilty of an offense upon a verdict of guilty or a plea of guilty or nolo contendere, a sentencing judge may defer imposition of sentence, except as otherwise specifically provided by statute, for a period:

(i) not exceeding 1 year for a misdemeanor or for a period not exceeding 3 years for a felony; or

(ii) not exceeding 2 years for a misdemeanor or for a period not exceeding 6 years for a felony if a financial obligation is imposed as a condition of sentence for either the misdemeanor or

the felony, regardless of whether any other conditions are imposed.

(b) Except as provided in 46-18-222, imposition of sentence in a felony case may not be deferred in the case of an offender who has been convicted of a felony on a prior occasion, whether or not the sentence was imposed, imposition of the sentence was deferred, or execution of the sentence was suspended.

(2) Whenever a person has been found guilty of an offense upon a verdict of guilty or a plea of guilty or nolo contendere, a sentencing judge may suspend execution of sentence, except as otherwise specifically provided by statute, for a period up to the maximum sentence allowed or for a period of 6 months, whichever is greater, for each particular offense.

(3) (a) Whenever a person has been found guilty of an offense upon a verdict of guilty or a plea of guilty or nolo contendere, a sentencing judge may impose a sentence that may include:

(i) a fine as provided by law for the offense;

(ii) payment of costs, as provided in 46-18-232, or payment of costs of assigned counsel as provided in 46-8-113;

(iii) a term of incarceration, as provided in Title 45 for the offense, at a county detention center or at a state prison to be designated by the department of corrections;

(iv) commitment of:

(A) an offender not referred to in subsection (3)(a)(iv)(B) to the department of corrections, with a recommendation for placement in an appropriate correctional facility or program; however, all but the first 5 years of the commitment to the department of corrections must be suspended, except as provided in 45-5-503(4), 45-5-507(5), 45-5-601(3), 45-5-602(3), 45-5-603(2)(c), and 45-5-625(4); or

(B) a youth transferred to district court under 41-5-206 and found guilty in the district court of an offense enumerated in 41-5-206 to the department of corrections for a period determined by the court for placement in an appropriate correctional facility or program;

(v) with the approval of the facility or program, placement of the offender in a community corrections facility or program as provided in 53-30-321;

(vi) with the approval of the prerelease center or prerelease program and confirmation by the department of corrections that space is available, placement of the offender in a prerelease center or prerelease program for a period not to exceed 1 year;

(vii) chemical treatment of sexual offenders, as provided in 45-5-512, if applicable, that is paid for by and for a period of time determined by the department of corrections, but not exceeding the period of state supervision of the person; or

(viii) any combination of subsections (2) and (3)(a)(i) through (3)(a)(vii).

(b) A court may permit a part or all of a fine to be

satisfied by a donation of food to a food bank program.

(4) When deferring imposition of sentence or suspending all or a portion of execution of sentence, the sentencing judge may impose upon the offender any reasonable restrictions or conditions during the period of the deferred imposition or suspension of sentence. Reasonable restrictions or conditions imposed under subsection (1)(a) or (2) may include but are not limited to:

(a) limited release during employment hours as provided in 46-18-701;

(b) incarceration in a detention center not exceeding 180 days;

(c) conditions for probation;

(d) payment of the costs of confinement;

(e) payment of a fine as provided in 46-18-231;

(f) payment of costs as provided in 46-18-232 and 46-18-233;

(g) payment of costs of assigned counsel as provided in 46-8-113;

(h) with the approval of the facility or program, an order that the offender be placed in a community corrections facility or program as provided in 53-30-321;

(i) with the approval of the prerelease center or prerelease program and confirmation by the department of corrections that space is available, an order that the offender be placed in a prerelease center or prerelease program for a period not to exceed 1 year;

(j) community service;

(k) home arrest as provided in Title 46, chapter 18, part 10;

(l) payment of expenses for use of a judge pro tempore or special master as provided in 3-5-116;

(m) with the approval of the department of corrections and with a signed statement from an offender that the offender's participation in the boot camp incarceration program is voluntary, an order that the offender complete the boot camp incarceration program established pursuant to 53-30-403;

(n) participation in a day reporting program provided for in 53-1-203;

(o) participation in the sobriety program provided for in Title 44, chapter 4, part 12, for a violation of 61-8-465, a second or subsequent violation of 61-8-401 or 61-8-406, or any other crime in which the abuse of alcohol or dangerous drugs was a contributing factor in the commission of the crime;

(p) any other reasonable restrictions or conditions considered necessary for rehabilitation or for the protection of the victim or society; or

(q) any combination of the restrictions or conditions listed in subsections (4)(a) through (4)(p).

(5) In addition to any other penalties imposed, if a person has been found guilty of an offense upon a verdict of guilty or a

plea of guilty or nolo contendere and the sentencing judge finds that a victim, as defined in 46-18-243, has sustained a pecuniary loss, the sentencing judge shall, as part of the sentence, require payment of full restitution to the victim, as provided in 46-18-241 through 46-18-249, whether or not any part of the sentence is deferred or suspended.

(6) In addition to any of the penalties, restrictions, or conditions imposed pursuant to subsections (1) through (5), the sentencing judge may include the suspension of the license or driving privilege of the person to be imposed upon the failure to comply with any penalty, restriction, or condition of the sentence. A suspension of the license or driving privilege of the person must be accomplished as provided in 61-5-214 through 61-5-217.

(7) In imposing a sentence on an offender convicted of a sexual or violent offense, as defined in 46-23-502, the sentencing judge may not waive the registration requirement provided in Title 46, chapter 23, part 5.

(8) If a felony sentence includes probation, the department of corrections shall supervise the offender unless the court specifies otherwise.

(9) As used in this section, "dangerous drug" has the meaning provided in 50-32-101."

Insert: "Section 8. Section 61-8-442, MCA, is amended to read:

"61-8-442. Driving under influence of alcohol or drugs -- driving with excessive alcohol concentration -- ignition interlock device -- 24/7 sobriety program -- forfeiture of vehicle. (1) In addition to the punishments provided in 61-8-714 and 61-8-722, regardless of disposition and if a probationary license is recommended by the court, the court may, for a person convicted of a first offense under 61-8-401 or 61-8-406,:

(a) restrict the person to driving only a motor vehicle equipped with a functioning ignition interlock device during the probationary period and require the person to pay the reasonable cost of leasing, installing, and maintaining the device; or

(b) require the person to participate in the 24/7 sobriety program provided for in 44-4-1203 and pay the fees associated with the program or require the person to participate in a court-approved alcohol or drug detection testing program and pay the fees associated with the testing program.

(2) If a person is convicted of a second or subsequent violation of 61-8-401 or 61-8-406, in addition to the punishments provided in 61-8-714 and 61-8-722, regardless of disposition, the court shall:

(a) if recommending that a probationary license be issued to the person, restrict the person to driving only a motor vehicle equipped with a functioning ignition interlock device during the probationary period and require the person to pay the reasonable cost of leasing, installing, and maintaining the device; or

(b) require the person to participate in the 24/7 sobriety program provided for in 44-4-1203 and pay the fees associated with the program or require the person to participate in a court-approved alcohol or drug detection testing program and pay the fees associated with the testing program; or

~~(b)~~(c) order that each motor vehicle owned by the person at the time of the offense be seized and subjected to the forfeiture procedure provided under 61-8-421.

(3) Any restriction or requirement imposed under this section must be included in a report of the conviction made by the court to the department in accordance with 61-11-101 and placed upon the person's driving record maintained by the department in accordance with 61-11-102.

(4) The duration of a restriction imposed under this section must be monitored by the department.""

Insert: "Section 9. Section 61-8-733, MCA, is amended to read:

"61-8-733. Driving under influence of alcohol or drugs -- driving with excessive alcohol concentration -- ignition interlock device -- 24/7 sobriety program -- forfeiture of

vehicle. (1) On the second or subsequent conviction of a violation of 61-8-401 or 61-8-406 or a second or subsequent conviction under 61-5-212 when the reason for the suspension or revocation was that the person was convicted of a violation of 61-8-401 or 61-8-406 or a similar offense under the laws of any other state or the suspension was under 61-8-402 or 61-8-409 or a similar law of any other state for refusal to take a test for alcohol or drugs requested by a peace officer who believed that the person might be driving under the influence, the court, in addition to the punishments provided in 61-5-212, 61-8-714, and 61-8-722 and any other penalty imposed by law, shall:

(a) if recommending that a probationary license be issued to the person, restrict the person to driving only a motor vehicle equipped with a functioning ignition interlock device during the probationary period and require the person to pay the reasonable cost of leasing, installing, and maintaining the device;

(b) require the person to participate in the 24/7 sobriety program provided for in 44-4-1203 and pay the fees associated with the program or require the person to participate in a court-approved alcohol or drug detection testing program and pay the fees associated with the testing program; or

~~(b)~~(c) order that each motor vehicle owned by the person at the time of the offense be seized and subjected to the procedure provided under 61-8-421.

(2) A vehicle used by a person as a common carrier in the transaction of business as a common carrier is not subject to forfeiture unless it appears that the owner or other person in charge of the vehicle consented to or was privy to the violation. A vehicle may not be forfeited under this section for any act or omission established by the owner to have been committed or

omitted by a person other than the owner while the vehicle was unlawfully in the possession of a person other than the owner in violation of the criminal laws of this state or the United States.

(3) Forfeiture of a vehicle encumbered by a security interest is subject to the secured person's interest if the person did not know and could not have reasonably known of the unlawful possession, use, or other act on which the forfeiture is sought.""

Renumber: subsequent section

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HOUSE STANDING COMMITTEE REPORT

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Mr. Speaker:

We, your committee on **Transportation** recommend that **House Bill 300** (first reading copy -- white) **do pass**.

Signed: _____

Representative Steve Lavin, Chair

- END -

Committee Vote:

Yes 8, No 4

Fiscal Note Required ☐

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BILL TABLED NOTICE

HOUSE TRANSPORTATION COMMITTEE

The HOUSE TRANSPORTATION COMMITTEE TABLED

HB 331 - Revise transportation commission laws - Rep. Nancy Wilson

, by motion, on **Friday, February 8, 2013.**

Ellen Bush
(For the Committee)

DC
(For the Chief Clerk of the House)

8:45 / 2-11
(Time) (Date)

February 11, 2013 (8:34am)

Ellen Bush, Secretary

Phone: 7353

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Roll Call Vote
TRANSPORTATION COMMITTEE

DATE: 2/8/13 BILL NO 300 MOTION NO. _____
 MOTION: _____

<u>NAME</u>	AYE	NO	If Proxy Vote, check here & include signed Proxy Form with minutes
REP. LEE RANDALL, VICE CHAIR		✓	
REP. CLAYTON FISCUS		✓	
REP. LIZ BANGERter	✓		
REP. KRAYTON KERNS		✓	
REP. REILLY NEILL	✓		✓
REP. CHRISTY CLARK	✓		
REP. FROSTY BOSS RIBS	✓		
REP. CAROLYN SQUIRES, VICE CHAIR	✓		✓
REP. BRIDGET SMITH	✓		
REP. JERRY O'NEIL		✓	
REP. NANCY WILSON	✓		
REP. STEVE LAVIN, CHAIR	✓		

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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Roll Call Vote
TRANSPORTATION COMMITTEE

DATE: 2/8/13 BILL NO 331 MOTION NO. _____
 MOTION: _____

<u>NAME</u>	AYE	NO	If Proxy Vote, check here & include signed Proxy Form with minutes
REP. LEE RANDALL, VICE CHAIR		✓	
REP. CLAYTON FISCUS		✓	
REP. LIZ BANGERter		✓	
REP. KRAYTON KERNS		✓	
REP. REILLY NEILL	✓		✓
REP. CHRISTY CLARK		✓	
REP. FROSTY BOSS RIBS	✓		
REP. CAROLYN SQUIRES, VICE CHAIR	✓		✓
REP. BRIDGET SMITH	✓		
REP. JERRY O'NEIL		✓	
REP. NANCY WILSON	✓		
REP. STEVE LAVIN, CHAIR		✓	

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**AUTHORIZED
COMMITTEE PROXY**

I request to be excused from the Transportation

Committee because of other commitments. I desire to leave my proxy vote with:

Nancy Wilson

Indicate Bill number and your vote Aye or No. If there are amendments, list them by name and number under the bill and indicate a separate vote for each amendment.

BILL/AMENDMENT

AYE NO

233	X	
Amend 233	X	
300	X	
Amend 381	X	
331	X	

BILL/AMENDMENT

AYE NO

Rep.

Beverly Neill
(Signature)

Date

2/8/13

**AUTHORIZED
COMMITTEE PROXY**

I request to be excused from the Transportation
Candyn Squires

Committee because of other commitments. I desire to leave my proxy vote with:

Nancy Wilson

Indicate Bill number and your vote Aye or No. If there are amendments, list them by name and number under the bill and indicate a separate vote for each amendment.

BILL/AMENDMENT

AYE NO

233	X	
Amend 233	X	
HB 300	X	
Amend 331	X	
331	X	

BILL/AMENDMENT

AYE NO

Rep.

Candyn Squires
(Signature)

Squires

Date

2/8/13

**MONTANA House of Representatives
Visitors Register
HOUSE TRANSPORTATION COMMITTEE**

Friday, February 8, 2013

HB 299 - Name portion of highway 2 in Blaine County for slain officers

Sponsor: Rep. Wendy Warburton

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Please leave prepared testimony with Secretary. Witness Statement forms are available if you care to submit written testimony.